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The Examiner's Answer of 06/11/09 is being vacated and a Substitute Examiner's Answer is being submitted in response to an oder returning the undocketed appeal to the Examiner that was received by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on September 21, 2009 because a review of the application revealed that the following matters require attention by the Examiner prior to docketing: there are inconsistencies with the rejections of claims 51 and 52 under USC 103(a), between the Non-Final Rejection and the Examiner's answer and any sections of the Examiner's answer which need correction such as the deficiencies in "Grounds of Rejection to be Reviewed on Appeal", "Grounds of Rejection" and "Arguments" sections with the Substitute Examiner's Answers requiring approval from the TC Director or Designee in accordance with MPEP 1207,05 and for such further action as may be appropriate.

/Ella Colbert/ Primary Examiner, Art Unit 3696